Anglican Auxiliary Diocesan Leaders

Focal point of the three-day annual meeting of the British Columbian Diocesan Board of the Women's Auxiliary of the Anglican Church was the election of new officers for the coming year. Pictured here is the new executive, from left to right: Mrs. F. E. Watson, corresponding secretary; Miss A. E. Hall, recording secretary; Mrs. B. P. Harding, president; Miss J. Leigh, first vice-president; Mrs. T. C. Griffiths, second vice-president, and Mrs. F. A. Goodwin, treasurer.—(Colonist photo.)

More Trouble Than They're Worth

Many 'Labor Savers' Boost Wife's Work

NEW YORK (UPI) — New labor-saving gadgets make more work for the homemaker, says J. Gordon Lippincott, an industrial designer.

"These devices are getting to be more trouble than they're worth. The more complex our possessions, the more likely they are to need repairs, said Lippincott, board chairman of a firm which designs products for manufacturers of home and industrial items. Household articles have included air conditioners, vacuum cleaners, hardware for blinds and draperies and glasses.

GRIPES MOUNTING

Because of his work, Lippincott is especially aware of gripes about new devices. And complaints are mounting, he said.

There are vacuum cleaner wands which wear at the joints so that extensions won't stay together. Some manufacturers have remedied this, but others still neglect to do so, Lippincott pointed out.

Electric can openers are made with legs to stand on the kitchen counter—"to get in your way," he said. "What improvement is this over the old non-electric model that swung out of the way when you didn't need it?

EXTRA RUBBER RINGS

Extra rubber rings for pressure cookers are difficult to find. Ball point pens, cigarette lighters, and flashlights soon fail to work. Some car air-conditioning systems are wrapped around the motors, making it impossible to repair the motor without removing the air-conditioning.

Then there are car windows that should open and shut at the touch of a button—"Except when the driver stops at a highway toll booth." One woman complained that the button control shorted, and the windows constantly went up and down.

PERSONAL MENTION

When Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt officially opened International House in Vancouver on Tuesday, one more-than-interested spectator was Mrs. A. J. Tullis of Victoria.

Some 23 years ago Mrs. Tullis was the luncheon guest of Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House and the talk was of International Houses.

Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. Tullis at that time ran International House in Geneva and she came to the U.S. to interest Mrs. Roosevelt in the movement.

Mrs. Roosevelt invited her to lunch and to her press conference, and also wrote about her in her column "My Day."

Mrs. Tullis wrote a note to Mrs. Roosevelt on her arrival in Vancouver recalling their earlier meetings. After the official opening and Mrs. Roosevelt handed the keys of the new building to Mrs. R. C. Harris, Mrs. Tullis and the former first lady had a chat.

In the evening, Cmdr. and Mrs. Tullis attended the public address given by Mrs. Roosevelt.

While in Vancouver the Tullis' were guests at the home of Mrs. Glen Hyatt, Sr.

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Home from Antipodes

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker returned to the city recently following a seven-week trip to Australia, New Zealand and Suva, Fiji. They are back in their home on Weald Road.

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Son from Yukon

Mrs. W. N. Lishman, Sooke Harbor, had as guest, her younger son, Mr. Wentworth Lishman. Mr. Lishman motored down from Whitehorse, Yukon, and has since motored on to be with his family in Winnipeg for a year.

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Leaving for Halifax

Sub Lieut. and Mrs. Charles Regan arrived in Victoria recently from Corpus Christi, Texas, where Mr. Regan was completing training as a naval aircraft pilot in the U.S. He leaves Victoria today for Halifax. Mrs. Regan, the former Beverley Felner will remain in Victoria until her husband's new post has been announced.

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Bridal Shower Held

A shower in honor of Miss Faye Wagg, March bride-elect, was given by Mrs. J. Lees, Mrs. G. W. Wagg, and Mrs. J. S. Rippon at the home of Mrs. Lees. Blue hyacinths and iris in a corsage were presented to the guest of honor while her mother, Mrs. J. H. Wagg, received pink carnations. The many gifts were concealed under a tiered skirt of a miniature bride doll. A color scheme of blue and yellow was carried out in the floral and cake decorations. Guests were Mrs. J. Wren, Mrs. A. Wagg, Mrs. A. Askew, Mrs. L. Carroll, Mrs. J. Munn, Mrs. W. Atkinson, Mrs. W. Rippon, Mrs. R. Smale, Mrs. E. Burdge, Mrs. E. Hines, Mrs. L. Hodgson, Mrs M. Brown, Mrs. E. Hunt, Mrs. N. Wylie, Mrs. W. Tulley, Mrs. R. Fernyhough, Mrs. J. Gulliford, Mrs. G. Parker, Mrs. W. Liddiard, Mrs. K. Coutts, and the Misses K. Lees, M. Wagg, A. Leland, S. Irish and Barbara Rippon.

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To Teach in Spokane

Miss Wynne Shaw, Victoria ballet teacher, left the city last night by plane for Spokane, Washington, where she has been invited to teach master courses in ballet for three days. The courses, sponsored by the Ballet Society of Spokane will include junior, intermediate and advanced pupils from Washington, Idaho and Montana.

LOVELIER YOU

By Mary Sue Miller

ABOUT SOMEBODY WE KNOW. Do you recognize this character: she has a top hair style and permanent, but her head always looks as if it just came out of a wind machine?

There are many such damsels in our midst and the explanation for their plight is not knowing—really knowing—how to groom their locks. Let's end this tousle. Here are the means:

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Clubs and Societies

Evening Devoted To Good Music

An evening devoted to music was enjoyed recently by the Registered Music Teachers of Victoria and friends, at the home of Dr. Elizabeth Mahaffy and Miss Gypsie Mahaffy, Royal Oak.

Miss Gladys Hewlings was in charge of the program of piano and organ duets by Mrs. B. Mitchell and Mr. Eric Edwards, and vocal duets and solos by Mrs. F. Ashford and Miss Mahaffy.

Piano solos were given by Mrs. A. Stuart. Violin and viola duets were given by guest artist Miss Eleanor Wilson and by Mr. Percy Humphrey. Accompaniments were provided by Mme. L. Loukotsky and Miss L. Harding.

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Legion LA

The LA to Esquimalt Branch No. 172, Canadian Legion, will meet Monday, March 9, in the Admirals Road Hall at 8 p.m.

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Birthday Tea

Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter IODE will hold a birthday tea at the home of Mrs. R. L. Brain, 930 Lawndale Street on March 12 at 2.30 p.m.

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Sketch Club

Miss S. Gibson, president, opened the recent meeting when 20 members of the Victoria Sketch Club met at the YWCA to compare their work in preparation for the annual exhibition to be held in June at the Hudson Bay Co.

Mr. Reginald Harvey was speaker and critic.

Twenty-four pictures were shown, including portraits of Mrs. E. Swanson, Russel Rd., who, wearing a brightly colored Swedish costume, posed for members at the studio of Miss G. Snider, 1035 Fort St., in aid of the Canadian Folk Festival, to be held in April.

Mrs. A. Clack thanked the speaker. Refreshments were served by Miss D. Lowe and Miss G. Snider. Applications for a limited number of new memberships are now being considered.

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Moose

At the recent meeting of the Women of the Moose, Chapter 25, two new members, Mrs. T. Matheson and Mrs. E. Brayshaw, were initiated. It was announced that a successful luncheon, convened by Mrs. E. Cooper, had been held for the Friendship.

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Burns Club

An interesting program is being arranged for the Burns Club Ladies' Night to take place on Tuesday at Holyrood House at 8 p.m.

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Art Gallery

There will be a luncheon at the Art Gallery arranged by the Women's Committee, Tuesday March 17 at 12.30 p.m. for gallery members and friends.

Luncheon will be followed by a talk by Mr. Tony Emery. For reservations phone Mrs. G. Buffam EV 3-6571.

IODE

The March meeting of the Robert Burns McMicking Chapter, IODE was held at the home of Mrs. Daryle Elford with the new Regent Miss Alison Chrow presiding. It was reported that $67 was realized at a recent rummage sale.

Mrs. W. C. Nichol was re-elected honorary Regent and Mrs. J. L. Gates, honorary Vice-Regent.

Appointed to convenorships were: Mrs. Violet Edwards, Mrs. J. Church, Mrs. Austin Flinton, Mrs. Owen Fowler, Mrs. D. Elford, Miss Connie Chrow.

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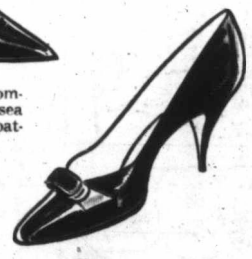

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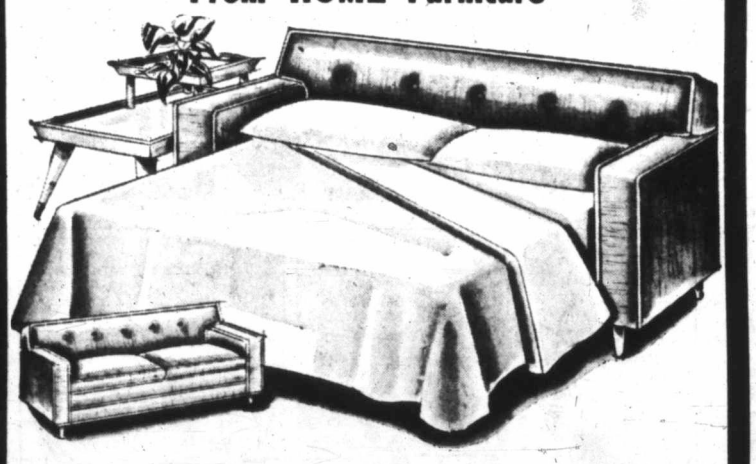

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